WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- (1) A cutter comprising a first support member; a second stud reception member which is perpendicularly attached to the first support member; and a second handle member which is attached to the first support member and which includes a pair of severing members.
- - (3) The cutter of claim 1 which said stud reception member is a telescoping member.
- (4) The cutter of claim 1 where said stud reception

 member has a thickness which is substantially similar to the
 till thickness of a metal stud member.
 - (5) A cutter comprising a metal stud reception member; and a cutting assembly which is deployed proximate to one end of the stud reception member.
- (6) The cutter of claim 5 which said cutting assembly comprised a 20 serpentine handle member; and a pair of cutting members.
 - (7) The cutter of claim 6 where each of said pair of cutting members is substantially identical.

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- (8) The cutter of claim 5 which said metal stud reception member comprises a telescoping member.
- (9) A method for cutting a metal stud comprising the steps of: stationarily positioning said metal stud upon a member; providing a pair of engagement members; and selectively causing said provided pair of engagement members to each said member.
- (10) The method of claim 9 which each of said pair of engagement members is substantially similar.
- (11) The method of claim 9 where member is a telescoping member.

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